

**NOVEMBER 8, 2011 ELECTION  
MACOMB COUNTY BALLOT PROPOSALS**

**MACOMB INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**REGIONAL ENHANCEMENT SPECIAL EDUCATION**  
**OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL**

Pursuant to state law, the revenue raised by the proposed enhancement millage will be collected by the Macomb Intermediate School District and allocated in accordance with Section 705 of the Revised School Code to local public school districts within the boundaries of the Macomb Intermediate School District for special education purposes with such revenue allocation being applied first to pay unfunded balance of the costs which would otherwise be payable by each local school district to the Macomb Intermediate School District for certain special education center programs.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Macomb Intermediate School District, Michigan, be increased by 1.2 mill (\$1.20 per thousand dollars of taxable value) for a period of twenty (20) years, 2011 to 2030, inclusive, as new additional millage to provide operating funds to enhance other state and local funding for local school district special education operating purposes? It is estimated that 1.2 mill would raise approximately \$27.5 million when first levied in 2011.

The revenue from this millage will be disbursed to or for the benefit of the following school districts:

Anchor Bay School District	Mount Clemens Community Schools
Armada Area Schools	New Haven Community Schools
Center Line Public Schools	Richmond Community Schools
Chippewa Valley Schools	Romeo Community Schools
Clintondale Community Schools	Roseville Community Schools
East Detroit Public Schools	South Lake Schools
Fitzgerald Public Schools	Utica Community Schools
Fraser Public Schools	Van Dyke Public Schools
Lake Shore Public Schools	Warren Consolidated Schools
Lakeview Public Schools	Warren Woods Public Schools
L'Anse Creuse Public Schools	

Shall the Charter of the City of Eastpointe, Chapter III Section 3 be amended to require that no person shall be eligible to hold the office of Mayor or Council member who is in default to the City and further provide procedures should a default arise?

**RECREATIONAL AUTHORITY PROPOSAL**

This proposal will allow the Recreational Authority of Roseville and Eastpointe to maintain recreational facilities, services, and programs for all residents. This proposal will only be effective if approved by the voters in both the City of Roseville and the City of Eastpointe.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the City of Roseville and the City of Eastpointe of the Recreational Authority of Roseville and Eastpointe, be increased by up to 1 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of twenty (20) years, as a new millage for the purpose of maintaining recreational facilities, services and programs?

It is estimated that 1 mill will raise a combined total of approximately \$1,572,021.00 when first levied in 2011.

**CHARTER AMENDMENT – Millage Increase**

An amendment to Section 10.161, Sec. 120 of Article 9 of the City Charter to increase the authorized maximum millage from fifteen (15) mills to twenty (20) mills which may be levied annually by the City Commission for general municipal purposes, including but not limited to fire and law enforcement services.

This amendment will increase the Charter limit from 15 mills to 20 mills.

Shall the proposed amendment be adopted?

**MILLAGE FOR LOCAL STREET AND ROAD REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENT**

Shall the Charter of the City of Warren be amended to authorize the City of Warren to levy 2.1 mills each year for five (5) years for the purpose of repairing and replacing local streets? This is a new additional millage that will result in the collection of an estimated \$7,629,214 of revenues in the first year the millage is authorized and levied, in year 2011

**Renewal Millage for Police, Fire and General Operation**

**A PROPOSAL TO RENEW FOR ONE YEAR THE 6.6700 MILLAGE RATE OF LAST YEAR (2011) TO SUPPORT AND FUND THE OPERATIONS FOR POLICE, FIRE, AND GENERAL OPERATIONS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP FOR Y2012.**

Shall the authorized Charter Millage for General Operations purposes within the Charter Township of Harrison, Macomb County, Michigan be renewed at up to 6.6876 mills (\$6.68 per \$1,000 of taxable value) upon real and tangible personal property, which will raise estimated revenues of \$5,877,029.00, of which 4.8900 mills shall be allocated for fire protection services, including vehicles, apparatus, equipment, housing, personnel, and emergency medical and ambulance service; 1.4188 mills for police protection services; and up to 0.3788 mills for the general operations within the Township for Year 2012?

## **ALMONT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

### **OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION EXEMPTING PRINCIPAL RESIDENCE AND QUALIFIED AGRICULTURAL PROPERTY**

This millage will allow the school district to continue to levy not more than the statutory rate of 18 mills against non-principal residence and non-qualified agricultural property required for the school district to continue to receive its full revenue per pupil foundation allowance.

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all taxable property except principal residence and qualified agricultural property as defined by law, in Almont Community Schools, Counties of Lapeer, St. Clair, Macomb and Oakland, be increased by 18 mills (\$18.00 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of two (2) years, 2011 and 2012, inclusive, to provide in part the funds to operate and maintain the school system? It is estimated that the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in the 2011 calendar year will be approximately \$849,651 from the local taxes authorized in this proposal. The proposed millage is a renewal of a previously authorized millage of 18 mills.



## **ROMEO COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

### **BUILDING AND SITE SINKING FUND MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL**

This renewal proposal, if approved by the electors, will allow the Romeo Community Schools to continue to levy a building and site sinking fund millage, the proceeds of which will be used to make infrastructure improvements and repairs to the School District's facilities. Pursuant to State Law, the expenditure of the building and site sinking fund millage proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for teacher, administrator or employee salaries, maintenance or other operating expenses.

Shall the Romeo Community Schools be authorized to levy one and one-quarter (1.25) mills (\$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable value), for a period of four (4) years, from July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2016 to create a building and site sinking fund for the purpose of the construction or repair of school buildings or any other purpose allowed under Michigan law? This millage is a request for a renewal of the voter approved building and site sinking fund tax levy which will expire on June 30, 2012. This millage would provide estimated revenues to the Romeo Community Schools of approximately One Million Nine Hundred Thousand and 00/100 (\$1,900,000.00) Dollars during the 2012 calendar year, if approved and levied.